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SHINAGAWA et al

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USING CRITICAL POINTS

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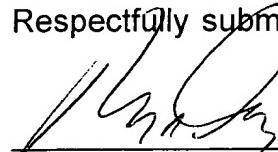
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the application as follows:

A listing of Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.